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RICHMOND, VA., TUESDAY MARCH, 8, 1904.

POLICE AND FIREMEN WINOUTONTHEFLOOR

The Weather.
WASHINGTON, March 7.—Porecast for Tuesday and Wednesday:
Virginia.—Fair Tuesday, colder in west portion Wednesday, fair; fresh to brisk west winds.

North Carolina-Fair Tuesday and Wed-

Heavy showers, thunder, lightning and unshine gave variety to the weather in lehmond yesterday. The temperature as high for the scalson. The heavy rule of to fear of a freshet; but there is said, be no danger.

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another negro; says he saw Nichols ron
the body in the river—Large anti-saloon
meeting at the First Baptist Church, Petersburg—Greenesville citizens gather at
Emporla regular county court day, though
there is no court—The Health Board of
Chestorfield take prompt measures to eradicate smallpox from Matoaca district—
Two of Mosby's most famous scous and
both ministers die the same day—Rev.
(Colonel) William Munford in Annapolis,
Md. and Rev. Syd G. Ferguson in Leeshirg. Va.—Consumers' Heat and Light
Company at Newport News in receiver's
hands—Miss Harrison, of Ettrick, grabbed an the dark by unseen man who
threatened her life and cut her long hair
from her head—John Kennedy, the train
wrecker, sentenced to hang Friday, escapes from jall at Staunton.

North Carolina.

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Miss Ressie Dewey Ray found dead in the park at Charlotte and leaves a letter to a relative; no denial made that she took her own life—Move to apply the free camp ground st-Wilmington to purposes of a United States naval school—A. C. Weatherly at Red Springs kills aman and later kills a daughter of another who is trying to make peace between the murderer and her father—Cape Fear Lumber Company hullding a narrow gauge road fifteen miles long—Judge Simonton continues his order for hearing in rallroad receivership case until later date.

General.

One woman killed and several men

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SUMMARY OF THE DAY'S NEWS | Puncture Budget and Get | APPROPRIATIONS Ten Per Cent. Increase

THESE THE ONLY MATERIAL CHANGES

General Satisfaction Prevails and Only Three Votes in Opposition.

HEAVY INCREASES OVER FORMER YEARS

Coveted Paper Making Additional Appropriations for Salaries and Expenses Goes Through in a Whirl After Vain Efforts to

To Attend the Launching.

31: noes, none."

The recommendation of the Finance Committee that the city execute its bond for \$50,000 for one year to the Battle Abley Association, conditioned upon an agreement that the proposed battle abbey or institute shall be in this city, was agreed to unanimously.

Fight Own the Product

Fight Over the Budget. At this juncture the clerk commenced to read the budget for 1904, and Mr. O'Neil moved that it be adopted as a whole without being read at length. Objection was made by Mr. Peters, and the reading was proceeded with.

The first amendment was offered by

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BALFOUR REVIEWS

IN ANNUAL BUDGET

The annual budget; submitted to the

printions:	owing ap
ON ACCOUNT OF	Appropr
Sinking Fund—	A Martin Physics Co.
Interest and redemption	\$131,75
Expenses	
Water bonds	40.15
Accoustments of tares	
Assessment of public improvemen	nt 1.16
Collection of Inxed.	14.14 (40)
Collection of delinquent taxes	Property of the second second
Collection of special taxes	1,20
Charities-	17.50
Almshouse expenses	
Almsbouse pay roll	
Almshouse poor of city	
Almshouse poor of city-spect.	
Almshouse construction and eq	1.00
Care of lunatics	
Appeal cases	
Cemeteries.	STATE OF THE PARTY.
Onkwood expenses	1.00
Oakwood pay roll	oracionisti 2 0
Confederate graves	100 PHONE PROPERTY.
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St. John's pay roll	115
City School Board-	10.04
General expenses	12.00
Special repairs and improvem	
Pay roll	
Manual training and kindergarte	
School building-East End	
City Police-	B.5
Pay roll	
Pay Poli Services	7.5
Patrol wagon	4,0
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Witness attendance and court c	ORTH 7.6
Coroner's Inquests	
Contingent fund	9,1
Discount and Interest	11.0
Chartians	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Electric light	34,2
Electric Tans	mana 1905 (65)

MR. DANNER

IS STRICKEN

The Well-Known Insurance Man Paralyzed and His Recovery Is Doubtful.

While preparing to leave his bed-chamber yesterday morning for the breakfast table, Mr. Frank W. Danner, one of the best known insurance men in the State,

COULD NOT STAND THE **PRESSURE**

Not Well Treated by Her Mormon Husband.

PLURAL MARRIAGE BY BRIGHAM YOUNG

Mrs. Kennedy Makes This Declaration, Though She Could Not Describe the Apostle.

FIRST WIFE CONSENTED THAT HER HUSBAND WED

The Two, Mrs. Kennedy Says, Had "a Slight Interview" and Fixed Matters-President Smith Proud of All of His Forty-two Children.

Not Been Preferred in Appoint-

ments.

ule of Mr. Smith's children born since 1890, and over the protest 29 Mr. Smith, Chairman Burrows directed that the question be answered.

Mr. Smith gave a list of children by the wives in the order in which he married them. The list is as follows;
By Julina—Edith and Rachel,
By Edna—Martha, and one child which died.

died.
By Alice-Fielding, Jesse and Andrew.
By Mary-Silas. Agnes. James and
maybe Calvin. He said he did not know
the age of the last named.
Chairman Burrows inquired;
"How many children have you now?"
"Forty-two," was the answer, "twenty-

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DEATH OF COLONEL WILLIAM MUNFORD

Clergyman Soldier Dies at His Home in Annap-

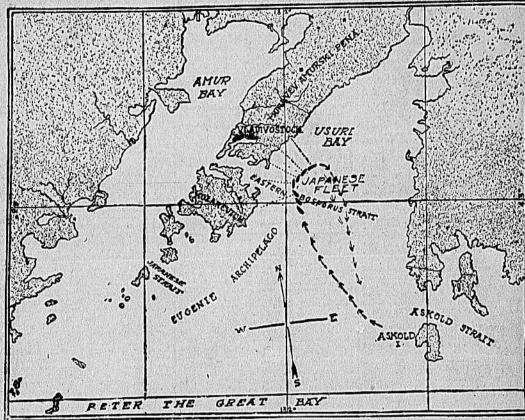
(By Associated Press.)

ANNAPOLIS, MD., March 7.—Rev. William Munford, formerly a colonel in the Confederate army, and who served under Moshy's command, died at his residence here to-night. Death was caused by acute poisoning. The deceased is survived by a wife, three daughters and one son. A brother, General Thomas T. Munford, of the Confederates, also survives. Colonel Munford entered the Virginia Infantry as a lieutenant at the cutbreak of the Civil War and at the cutbreak of the Civil War and at the close of the war had gained the rank of colonel. After the war, he entered the Episcopal clergy, from which ill health compelled him to retire two years ago, Colonel Munford is a native of Virginia and was a son of the late George W. Munford, at one time Secretary of Commonwealth of Virginia.

The remains of the deceased will be calveyed to Richmend, where they will be buried in the family lot in Hollywood Cemetery Wednessiay.

It was a brother of the Misses Munford, Mrs. William Robertson, and of Mrs. Charles 11. Talbott, all of Richmond. (By Associated Press.)

RUSSIA WON'T FORCE THE DARDANELLES



ESCAPES

Frain Wrecker Sentenced to Hang Next Monday Is at Large.

KNOCKED THE GUARD DOWN

Reaches the Ground From a Window by Means of a Rubber Hose and Gets Away.

Kennedy's death watch, D. W. Spe



JOHN KENNEDY.

rimped down stairs from the fourth floor, where his cell was located, and when he returned the condemned man was missing.

He had wrenched the locks from his cell door, broken the bars from the window, swung the fire hose down to the ground, and, using the gum tubing as rope, let himself down and reached the ground from the fourth story of the jail.

From the jail yard escape was easy, as he dropped into a creek and soon disappeared.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

Said to Have Felled the Negro Guard With Blow on Head. ROANOKE, VA., March 7 .- A telephone

message from Staunton, Va., says John Kennedy, the train robber under sentence to hang next Monday, escaped from ed at the national headquarters in this

USED THEIR

Another Chapter in the Postoffice Scandals at Washington.

THE VIRGINIA POSTOFFICES

Those Who Received Increase in Clerk Hire or Rent by Reason of Influence.

March 15th, and the result will be count-

tence to hang next Monday, escaped from the Staunton jall to-night.

The jaller left at negro to guard the condenned man. Taking advantage of his opportunity, Kennedy seized a club and dealt the negro a blow on the need, felling him to the floor. Kennedy then cocaped from a window, using a section of rubber hose to reach the ground.

Posses are scouring the country in every direction, but so far there has been no trace of the man, as well as which time Engineer Balley, of Roamoke, was killed.

Ho was convicted of murder in the first degree. Two of his accomplices, one a woman, are serving-terms in the ponitional woman and woman previously referred to, in the conditional woman, are serving-terms in the ponitional woman woman previously referred to.

Not Believed She Will Take This Great Risk.

WOULD EXPOSE HER TO ENGLAND'S WRATH

With Her Baltic Fleet in the Far East, Great Britain Would Have a Free Hand.

ONE WOMAN KILLED IN PORT ARTHUR ATTACK

This and the Wounding of a Few Men Sums Up the Daniage." The Forts Not Injured-The Vladivostok Fleet Said to Have Been Cut Off by Japanese Warships.

Clifton Forge. The following are the Virginia cases mentioned in the report:

HERRYVILLE, VA.

June 21, 1901, Hon. Park Agnew personally recommended that allowance for clork hire be increased from \$70 to \$300 per annum ft warranted.

Allowance for clerk hire was increased from \$70 to \$300 per annum July 1, 1904, and the general superintendent endorses the case "Special."

June 30, 1903, a report from postmaster indicated 390 per annum warranted for

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